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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TETSUO SAKANAKA ) : Examiner: D. Singh  
Application No.: 09/838,277 ) : Group Art Unit: 2633  
Filed: April 20, 2001 ) : Allowed: June 22, 2004  
For: OPTICAL FREE-SPACE )  
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS: ) : September 22, 2004

**Mail Stop Issue Fee**  
THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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RULE 312 AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due form mailed June 22, 2004, in the above-identified application. The Issue Fee is being paid concurrently herewith. Applicant requests that the application be amended as set forth below.